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For:	"LOCATION DATA VALIDATION BY STATIC ENTITIES RECEIVING LOCATION DATA ITEMS BY SHORT- RANGE COMMUNICATION"	)	Date: December 27, 2004
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		)	Re: <i>Amendment and Response</i>
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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

In reply to the non-final Office Action mailed on September 30, 2004, an initial response to which is due no later than **December 30, 2004**, Applicant submits this paper. Please amend the above-identified application as described below and consider the following remarks. **All amendments and remarks herein are made without prejudice.**

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 9 of this paper.